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E.O. 11652: GDS

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SUBJECT: ROTATION OF NEPALESE UNIFIL CONTINGENT

REF: KATHMANDU 4289

- 1. WE ARE PLEASED TO LEARN THAT GON IS ALREADY PLANNING FOR ROTATION OF CONTINGENT IN OCTOBER AND IS FULLY PREPARED TO CONTINUE CONTRIBUTION IN UNIFIL AT PRESENT LEVEL.
- 2. YOU SHOULD INFORM MFA THAT UNIFIL MANDATE WAS INITIALLY APPROVED BY SECURITY COUNCIL FOR SIX-MONTH CONFIDENTIAL

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PERIOD AND IS SCHEDULED TO BE RENEWED BY SEPTEMBER 19. WE ARE WORKING TO INSURE THAT RENEWAL PROCESS WILL BE SMOOTH AND EXPECT RENEWAL WILL BE ACHIEVED

3. TECHNICAL QUESTIONS ON ROTATION OF TROOPS SHOULD BE HANDLED BETWEEN NEPALESE AND UN. COST OF ROTATION OF TROOPS IS INCLUDED IN UNIFIL BUDGET AND UN WILL WORK OUT

WITH NEPALESE MOST COST-EFFECTIVE METHOD FOR ACCOMPLISHING THIS MOVEMENT. NORMALLY AN ADVANCE PARTY OF NEW CONTINGENT IS BROUGHT IN BEFORE BULK OF CONTINGENT IS ROTATED. HOWEVER, ANY STAGGERING WILL DEPEND ON TYPE OF

TRANSPORT USED. USUN MIGHT BE ABLE TO ASSIST NEPALESE MISSION IN NEW YORK IN WORKING OUT THESE ARRANGEMENTS WITH UN HEADQUARTERS, IF THIS IS DESIRED. CHRISTOPHER

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